

Syria: Implications for U.S. Security and Regional Stability—Part I, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

September 18, full Committee, hearing on United States Policy in Afghanistan: Current Issues in Reconstruction—Part II, 10:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

September 18, Subcommittee on Africa, hearing on U.S. Policy Toward Liberia, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

September 18, Subcommittee on Europe, hearing on Turkey's Future Direction and U.S.-Turkey Relations, 1:30 p.m., 2200 Rayburn.

September 18, Subcommittee on International Terrorism, Nonproliferation and Human Rights and the Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, joint hearing on Human Rights in Burma: Fifteen Years Post Military Coup, 12:30 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, September 16, Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 280, National Aviation Heritage Area Act; H.R. 646, Fort Donelson National Battlefield Act of 2003; H.R. 1594, St. Croix National Heritage Area Study Act; H.R. 1618, Arabia Mountain National Heritage Area Act; and H.R. 1862, Oil Region National Heritage Act, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

September 17, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, oversight hearing on "Environmental Aspects of Modern Oil and Gas Development," 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

September 17, Subcommittee on Forests and Forests Health, oversight hearing on the Forest Service Recreation Fee Demonstration Program, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

September 18, full Committee, to hold a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1899, Cape Fox Land Entitlement Adjustment Act of 2003; and H.R. 2010, to protect the voting rights of members of the Armed Services in elections for the Delegate representing American Samoa in the United States House of Representatives, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Small Business*, September 17, hearing on small business success stories, 1 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, September 16, Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management, oversight hearing on Emergency Preparedness Issues, including Reauthorization of the Pre-disaster Mitigation Program, 2 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

September 17, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, oversight hearing on Contributions of Ports and Inland Waterways to the Nation's Intermodal Transportation System, 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

September 18, Subcommittee on Aviation, oversight hearing on the DOT Inspector General's September 4th Report on the Safety of the FAA's Contract Tower Program, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, September 18, Subcommittee on Social Security, hearing on the SSA's Management of the Office of Hearings and Appeals, 10 a.m., B-318 Rayburn.

*Select Committee on Homeland Security*. September 16, Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Science, and Research and Development, hearing entitled "The Invisible Battleground: What the Department of Homeland Security is Doing to Make America's Cyberspace More Secure," 9:30 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

September 17, Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Science, and Research and the Subcommittee on Infrastructure and Border Security, to continue joint hearings entitled "Implications of Power Blackouts for the Nation's Cybersecurity and Critical Infrastructure Protection: The Electric Grid, Critical Interdependencies, Vulnerabilities, and Readiness," 3 p.m., HC-5 Capitol.

### Joint Meetings

*Joint Meetings*: September 16, Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs, to hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to receive the legislative presentation of The American Legion, 10 a.m., SH-216.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

1 p.m., Monday, September 15

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

12 noon, Monday, September 15

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Monday:** After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 2:30 p.m.), Senate will resume consideration of H.R. 2754, Energy and Water Development Appropriations. Also, pursuant to the order of July 30, 2003, Senate will debate a motion to go to conference on S. 3, Patial Birth Abortion Ban.

## House Chamber

**Program for Monday:** To be announced.

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